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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of Ward et al.
Serial Number 09/610,935
Filed Date July 6, 2000
Confirmation No. 5148
For TRACER REAGENTS THAT ENHANCE REACTION-PRODUCT ANALYSIS
Examiner Bradley L. Sisson

Art Unit 1634

August 1, 2002

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE APPEAL BRIEF

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
SIR:

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time up to and including August 1, 2002, to file a brief in support of the Notice of Appeal dated March 1, 2002, for the above-identified application.

This extension is being obtained to ensure co-pendency of the subject application and a Request for Continued Examination being filed today, August 1, 2002.

* A check in the amount of \$920.00 is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under-payment or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

Respectfully submitted,

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